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Walmart denies firing woman over dog rescue

Hot dog. Retailer to install warning signs after employee allegedly fired for confronting customer about dog in parked car

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Walmart Canada denies it fired a woman because she told a customer not to leave his dog in a car and it says it will install signs in front of its stores across Canada warning shoppers about the dangers of leaving children and pets in hot vehicles.

But the retail giant may have a fight on its hands: Former employee Carla Cheney, a pharmacy technician, now has a lawyer and an angry public backing her on social media sites.

Walmart Canada issued a statement on its Facebook page just before noon Thursday saying that it's a major supporter of animal rights and denied the termination was over the employee's move to confront the customer.

"We want you to know that the associate in question was absolutely not let go for trying to help a dog in a locked car. The decision to dismiss an associate is one that we take extremely seriously and must follow a comprehensive process," the statement said. "With respect to the recent story in the media about our Kemptville store, as per our protocol, the store manager did speak to the customer in question about the dangers of leaving a dog in a hot car."

Cheney said she called police Tuesday when she saw a man leave his dog in a truck in the parking lot about 30 minutes before her shift started. She said the SPCA had advised her to call 911 after a similar incident that happened at the store a week earlier.

When a police officer showed up and went inside to look for the man, the customer came out and drove his car by Cheney and her associates, who were outside at a picnic table.

"I then said to him, 'You know, you shouldn't leave your dog in the car.' He said it was none of my business. I said that was fine, but if I did see it again I would be calling the police," said Cheney.

"He said he wouldn't be shopping at Walmart. I said, 'OK.'"

She said she believes the man made either a written or verbal complaint because later that day she was asked to come to her boss's office to tell her side of the story.

"So I gave it to him. He told me I needed to go to him with any further problems. I said I didn't feel comfortable doing that, as I had already tried to go to him with a problem a week before. So that if I did see something unsafe, I would just go ahead and call the police without notifying him," Cheney recalled. "He said, 'Then as of now you are terminated.'"

She said she believes her boss only decided to fire her after she voiced her disagreement with his instruction on how to deal with future incidents. She said she was told she was fired for "being rude to a customer."

She said even if she was given her job back, she wouldn't feel comfortable returning to work because of the way she was walked out of the store after handing in her badge and her vest.

"I was really embarrassed the way I was escorted out like a criminal, basically," said Cheney.

Walmart Canada did not immediately respond to an interview request from Metro Thursday afternoon.

On the web

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Former Walmart employee Carla Cheney stands with her dog Chico at her home in Winchester after being fired following her confrontation with a customer who left a dog in a parked car.
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High rate of hate crime in Ottawa

National. StatsCan reports capital city had the 3rd highest rate; on the bright side the number of incidents is down year-over-year

Ottawa had the third highest rate for hate crimes in the country in 2011 — 8.7 reported hate crimes per 100,000 people in 2011, mostly tied to mischief and graffiti charges.

The capital is topped by Peterborough, Ont. (17.9 per 100,000) and Hamilton (15.9 per 100,000 people). It's difficult to compare city-to-city due to different police forces using different reporting protocols — and Ottawa Police's hate crime unit said they have one of the most stringent reporting standards.

"I can't comment on any other service, if they meet (OPS) thresholds in defining and classifying hate crimes," said Det. John Byers, who works with the unit. "(But) if classifications aren't being utilized properly, then the captures for statistical purposes aren't being classified properly."

Byers also gives seminars, both within the force and with organizations like OC Transpo, so hate speech in graffiti can be recognized and reported as such.

The slightly good news is that Ottawa's numbers declined year-over-year from 2010, when the city saw 132 reported incidents. The even worse news is that the problem is likely much larger than the numbers suggest.

StatsCan cites a 2011 report that found only one-third of respondents who said they had been victims of hate-motivated crimes reported them to police. Ottawa's numbers could be influenced by things like public awareness or the fact the city boasts a dedicated hate crime police unit — but in all likelihood, there are many more hate crimes than reported.

Ontario, with 37 per cent of the country's population, accounts for 50 per cent of all reported hate crimes in the country.

The majority (52 per cent) of hate crimes in Canada in 2011 are motivated by race or ethnicity, with 25 per cent motivated by religion and 18 per cent sexual orientation.

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Local boys make good

Singer-guitarist Shaun Francisco for local upstart alt-rock sensations Autumn's Cannon sings Thursday night at RBC Royal Bank Bluesfest. The group opened for Canadian rock icons The Tragically Hip. As the festival heads into its final weekend organizers said they've been "delighted," with attendance, averaging 25,000 people a night. Among the highlights of the final weekend are Great Big Sea on Friday night, Björk Saturday night and B.B. King on Sunday. For more lineup details go to ottawabluesfest.ca. MARC DESROSIERS/FOR METRO

Medicinal-marijuana shop may be illegal

Ottawa police are rethinking their stance on a medicinal-marijuana storefront that opened last week by looking closer at the letter of the law which appears to bar the retail outlet.

"We're gathering more information on if it's a legal establishment to function in the product that they're selling," said Ottawa Police Services spokesperson Const. Chuck Benoit, Thursday, after police were surprised to learn Wednesday that the Greater Ottawa Health Advocacy Centre is selling medicinal marijuana.

"There's only certain locations where Health Canada has issued permits to sell this product," said Benoit, adding he is not aware whether it is broken down by municipality, province or region. "We have to do a bit of digging. We never just ask a person about showing us their documentation," he said. "We have to do our own research. We are aware of his situation and location."

Marihuana for Medical Purposes Regulations under the Controlled Drugs and Substances Act, revised and passed by the federal government June 6, "do not allow for storefront or retail distribution centres." The rules state medicinal marijuana should be delivered to patients through the mail.

Benoit said police are also looking at whether the property is zoned for such a store. City zoning records show the whole strip at 790 Somerset St. is zoned for mixed commercial and residential use, so the business should qualify.

"A lot of people think it's legal to have a small amount on them. It is an illegal product," said Benoit. To have it legally, people need a certificate from Health Canada obtained via a doctor's prescription, he said.

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Golden Oaks. Owner emerges as his business descends into bankruptcy

A sign on the door of Golden Oaks Enterprises explains the company has gone into receivership. GRAHAM LANKTREE/METRO

The Golden Oaks real estate "transaction engineer" who creditors say owes them more than $8 million surfaced Thursday to tell the firm handling his company's bankruptcy that he will hand over passwords and documents.

"We have been contacted by him," said Brian Doyle, co-founder of Doyle Salewski, which is the court-appointed receiver for Jean-Claude Lacasse, Golden Oaks and its subsidiary Rent 2 Own Canada.

"Mr. Lacasse has indicated he has materials to turn over to us," said Doyle, adding he hopes to meet with the man soon to question him as his firm puzzles through up to $18 million in potentially bad mortgages on some 70 Ottawa properties and $8 million in promissory notes to creditors.

The call came after a private meeting Doyle held Wednesday night that brought out about 100 investors, tenants, construction workers, mortgage holders, promissory note holders and unsecured creditors who are all owed money by Lacasse.

GRAHAM LANKTREE/METRO

Motorcycle accident. Police investigate fatal south Ottawa collision

Ottawa police say a man died after his motorcycle collided with a trailer attached to a truck near the intersection of Rideau Road and Power Road early Thursday morning.

Police were called to the scene at 6:21 a.m. Insp. John Medeiros said the motorcycle was travelling eastbound on Rideau Road when it collided with the vehicle's trailer.

Medeiros said the man was pronounced dead at the scene. The driver of the truck did not sustain any injuries.

Scratches could be seen on the front of the blue motorcycle as police examined the scene.

"The investigators will be interviewing some witnesses and doing their measurements … to determine what happened," said Medeiros.

Police closed Rideau Road between Hawthorn Road and Bank Street until about 1:45 p.m.

JOE LOFARO/METRO

An Ottawa police officer examines the scene of a fatal collision in the city's rural south end Thursday morning that claimed the life of a motorcycle driver. JOE LOFARO/METRO

Stacey Vincent claims Rogers wouldn't send a technician to her Ottawa home after she somehow racked up a $532 bill in home-Internet usage. JOE LOFARO/METRO

Rogers throws out 133 GB of charges

Still not satisfied.
Woman says ISP should have helped her investigate how data cap was busted

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An Ottawa woman is breathing a sigh of relief as Rogers drastically brought down her Internet bill just a couple of days after she claimed someone snuck into her network, causing her to go 133 GB over her download-data limit.

What normally would have been a bill of about $50 shot up to more than $532.

Stacey Vincent said she believes someone either gained access to her protected wireless network or tampered with her cable line outside the home.

"If anything, we use it for email," said Vincent. "It doesn't make any sense. We don't download movies or anything like that."

She had signed up for a basic Internet package with just a 20-GB data limit in May, which served her well in the first month without any problems. But once July came around, she noticed 153 GB of data had been used without her knowledge between May 30 and June 29.

She said her 20-GB limit was reached July 3 even though she and her boyfriend weren't home during the first few days of the second billing cycle. The company reduced the charges by $432, but she still wanted answers.

Vincent claims she called Rogers several times to get a technician to come investigate the problem, but instead was told to look into it herself.

"As a large communications company, don't sit here and insult my intelligence and tell me that you have no way of seeing where the usage is coming from," she said.

After she wrote a complaint on Rogers' Facebook page and Metro contacted a company spokesperson for an interview Wednesday, Rogers contacted Vincent through Facebook that afternoon to tell her she wouldn't have to pay.

Luiza Staniec, a Rogers spokesperson, told Metro Thursday it's possible Vincent had a weak or easy-to-crack password on her wireless network. But Vincent said it contained uppercase letters, numbers and special characters.

Staniec also said if Vincent hadn't cancelled her service Wednesday, she would have been able to determine with a Rogers representative on the phone if her network was being used by someone else. This is done when the customer disconnects all devices from the network and Rogers looks at which IP addresses are still connected.

No longer a Rogers Internet subscriber, Vincent is looking for another provider.

NCC prepares to unload Bixi business

The National Capital Commission will gauge private-sector interest in buying the Bixi bike service next month.

The federal outfit has put out a request for expressions of interest in buying the service, which it introduced in 2009.

That was always the plan, according to NCC spokesman Jean Wolff — to get the service up and running and then find a private operator to come in.

"It was always the case to start and consolidate the service, and then to have another operator provide the service," said Wolff Thursday.

The service has seen increasing ridership levels for the past two years.

The NCC owns the equipment, including 25 stalls with some 250 bicycles, while the Public Bike System Company operates the service.

In 2012, the NCC paid around $668,000 for that, while it recouped approximately $437,000 in revenue. The Bixi service boasted 305 subscribers, 8,692 casual users and 43,612 trips.

The contract with the Public Bike System Company will run out in September 2015.

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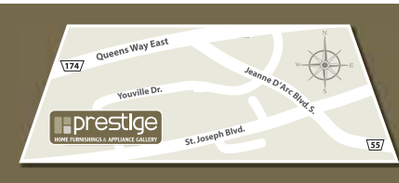

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Theatre picnic. Odyssey Theatre and Le Cordon Bleu prepare dramatic dish

Two neighbouring companies on Ottawa's Laurier Street are conspiring to create a unique food and theatre event as they both celebrate more than 25 years of business.

Ottawa's non-profit Odyssey Theatre and Le Cordon Bleu Ottawa are running a theatre picnic from July 25 to Aug. 25 in Strathcona Park.

The play, Arms and the Man, is directed by Andy Massingham and is described as playwright George Bernard Shaw's first commercial success.

"It's obviously a natural partnership since their event is right across from our building," said Linda Montone, marketing manager at Le Cordon Bleu. "What they do is very classic, it's all about classics and tradition, and that's what Le Cordon Bleu is all about."

Coming soon

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Linda Montone, marketing manager at Le Cordon Bleu, on their joint event with Odyssey Theatre in Strathcona Park

Strathcona Park is located across the street from Le Cordon Bleu Bistro @Signatures, the cooking school's Ottawa restaurant.

This is the second year that the two companies have collaborated on a theatre event. Last year "we did a four-course meal and then the show right after," said Mark Turcotte, publicist for Odyssey Theatre.

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Cancer research

Charity tourney to show ball hockey with heart

Valerie's Flutter Foundation and Securitas Canada are hosting the All-Star Cure for Cancer Ball Hockey Challenge at the Blackburn Arena on July 13.

The charity ball-hockey tournament will be made up of six to eight teams and the winners will get the chance to face off against some hockey celebrities.

All proceeds will go towards cancer research for the Ottawa Hospital Research Institute.

JORDAN BROWN/FOR METRO

Green samaritan

Lansdowne Park legal bill paid anonymously

The legal tab owed to the City of Ottawa by the Lansdowne Park Conservancy after its legal challenge to the Lansdowne Park redevelopment has been paid, the city's solicitor says.

An anonymous benefactor on behalf of John Martin has settled up the outstanding $12,655.58 legal tab Martin was ordered to repay the city after the Supreme Court of Canada refused to hear any further appeal.

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Would-be picnic participants share a promotional toast on Parliament Hill in anticipation of Ottawa's very first White Hot Picnic. CONTRIBUTED/MANUEL DELACRUZ

Picnic-goers to have a blanc bite of Paris

White Hot Picnic. Spontaneous July 25th event to feature gourmet food and music

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A little bit of Paris is coming to Ottawa.

The city is getting its own spin on the traditional Parisian gourmet picnic with an event called the White Hot Picnic on July 25th. The event will feature live music and fine food. Those who attend are encouraged to wear all white and are welcome to bring their own food and drink.

People won't know where the picnic is going to be until a few hours before it begins.

Catherine Soucie, the event's organizer, said that adds some much needed spontaneity into people's lives.

"The element of surprise, keeping people curious, it's the building up of excitement and going into the unknown," said Soucie. "Now, more than ever people want to be spontaneous. It's nice to just pick up and go and not know exactly where you're going. Sometimes it's fun to just not plan."

Location unknown

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Event organizer Catherine Soucie

Soucie said that the reason for the white dress code is to highlight people's unique personalities and create a feeling of everyone being "in the same boat."

She also said that events like these stand out because people are meeting new people face-to-face and not just on the Internet.

"We're in an age now where more and more people are meeting online. While that's great, it would be fun to have some events like this where people can actually meet for the first time in person," said Soucie.

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Decriminalization

Pot petition goes official in B.C.

An activist in B.C. has been granted approval to launch an official petition in an effort to decriminalize pot.

Elections BC will issue the petition on Sept. 9, after which Dana Larsen has 90 days to get the signatures of 10 per cent of voters in each of B.C.'s ridings.

If he achieves that, a legislature committee could choose to either call a vote or call a referendum.

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Defence budget not fully spent

New figures show National Defence has not spent billions set aside for it during the last budget year, a trend some consider deficit slashing by stealth.

Retired lieutenant-general Andrew Leslie said the cause is either managerial incompetence or a deliberate policy.

THE CANADIAN PRESS

Drug trade. Canadian crooks dealing directly with Mexican mobsters

Canadian organized-crime groups have forged links with Mexican outlaws in an attempt to secure a direct supply of cocaine and increase their profits by eliminating the middleman, says the RCMP.

An internal analysis by the Mounties notes that since 2008 at least 10 Canadians have been shot or killed in Mexico under circumstances suggesting involvement with local criminal elements.

Some were known to be active in drug trafficking in Canada and all had extensive criminal backgrounds, says the RCMP analysis.

A copy of the May 2012 assessment — heavily censored — was released under the Access to Information Act.

The murder in Mexico of several Canadians with criminal connections may signal that Canadian disputes and retaliatory actions are making their way south — contrary to the popular perception that drug-cartel frictions are migrating north, says the RCMP's companion report.

THE CANADIAN PRESS

The Mounties say global borders have become blurred with the proliferation of transnational organized crime. PAUL CHIASSON/THE CANADIAN PRESS FILE

People hug outside an emergency shelter in Lac-Megantic, Que., on Thursday. Some locals have fond recollections of their dealings with the train driver at the centre of the investigation. JACQUES BOISSINOT/THE CANADIAN PRESS

Train engineer a hero or criminal?

Lac-Mégantic disaster. Man hailed for valiant actions now suspended and under suspicion

His face gripped with terror, the train driver sprang out of bed at the inn where he'd retired for the night and raced to the scene of an impending catastrophe.

Residents of Lac-Mégantic, Que., painted a portrait Thursday of the friendly railman who chatted with locals during his regular stopovers in town.

An employee at the inn says she thinks she was looking into his eyes the instant he realized his unmanned, crude-oil-filled train had just slammed into the downtown core.

The train driver, Tom Harding, now finds himself at the centre of the investigation into a derailment disaster now feared to have killed 50 people.

His boss has said he could face criminal charges.

The chairman of the rail company has suspended Harding without pay amid concerns that he might not have properly applied the brakes on the tanker train.

The company had initially described Harding as a hero for apparently rushing to the scene where he managed to pull some of the explosive rail cars away from the flames.

A taxi driver met Harding on Friday night at the spot where he parked the train before it roared into town. He said his regular customer seemed fine.

However, Andre Turcotte did say that the train appeared to be belching out more smoke than usual, so much so that he recalled oil droplets from the exhaust landing on his car.

He said he asked Harding twice about the smoke. Turcotte said his client calmly responded that he had followed company directives to deal with it. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Leave him alone

"I imagine it's not his fault. In the meantime, he needs support — he doesn't need harassment.... And if it's his fault, listen, he will pay for it, for sure."

Taxi driver Andre Turcotte, who has transported engineer Tom Harding from the train to the inn once or twice a week for the last four months

Updates

Locals head home as first victim named

Police released the first name of a victim on Thursday: 93-year-old Elianne Parenteau. Most of the bodies have not been found or identified.

Much of the local anger has been directed at the company, Montreal, Maine & Atlantic Railway.

Quebec Premier Pauline Marois called MMA's handling of the crisis "deplorable." The local mayor says she's angry at the company boss for cancelling a meeting with her.

Another 600 Lac-Mégantic residents are being allowed home. Quebec civil security spokeswoman Christine Savard said that means only about 200 people out of 2,000 who were forced out won't be back home as of Friday. THE CANADIAN PRESS

First name's Momo, last name's Schwimmer

Three-month-old beaver Momo swims in the pool of the wild-animal facility in Klein Offenseth-Sparrieshoop, Germany, on Wednesday. Momo was found alone on a dike after the flooding in Germany. The beaver shares his moniker with another furry flood survivor — Momo the cat, who swam from a sinking truck to safety during June's flooding in High River, Alta.

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Quitting is hard; money for drugs would help: Report

Health report card. When it comes to smoking cessation, there's a postal-code lottery in this country, researchers say

A new report says more Canadians who smoke might quit if they had insurance coverage for smoking-cessation products.

The report suggests smokers in Atlantic Canada are particularly hard hit because more people in that part of the country have no drug insurance at all.

The report says it's hard to understand why jurisdictions that fund the cost of medication to treat high blood pressure and high cholesterol wouldn't pay for drugs that help people quit smoking.

Getting smokers to quit actually saves governments money, a new report says. PAWEL DWULIT/THE CANADIAN PRESS

It says smoking cessation interventions are known to be among the most cost-effective in the health-care system.

The report is part of this year's report card from the Cancer Advocacy Coalition of Canada, a group that champions policies that promote cancer prevention and the best treatment for people with the disease.

This year's report card says when it comes to smoking cessation, there's a postal-code lottery in the country, with people in some parts getting more help to quit than others.

The article singles out Newfoundland and Labrador and New Brunswick, saying neither have public funding for nicotine replacement products or smoking cessation drugs.

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We liked their early stuff better? Belugas to see another concert

Two Winnipeg artists are on the northernmost edge of Manitoba this summer to organize a concert series that promises to really whale.

Laura Magnusson and Kaoru Ryan Klatt left for Churchill last week with a specially crafted "sculptural sea vessel" — complete with a stage and an underwater speaker system — to stage performances for thousands of beluga whales on the Churchill River estuary.

"We're fostering ties between humans and belugas," explained Magnusson, who's travelled with Klatt to Churchill for the past two summers to sing and talk to whale pods. "This is the last hurrah, so for 75 days we're going to build a sustained but non-invasive presence on the Churchill River to see what happens."

This trip has grown from the pair's first two trips alone in a canoe with a homemade underwater speaker to include performances by 10 other interdisciplinary artists.

A special underwater microphone will record and play back the response they get from their audience.

"We can hear the whales and have this sort of sonic dialogue," said Magnusson.

Pods of whales can be seen following their boat in videos they've posted to YouTube of their previous trips.

"Maybe this year we can join a whale pod," laughed Magnusson.

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Check out the artists' work

- Follow Klatt and Magnusson's adventures at becomingbeluga.com.

U.S. research

Faraway quakes trigger tremors on oil-and-gas fields

New research suggests earthquake faults near oil and gas fields in the central United States can break after a large quake that strikes halfway around the globe. Researchers led by Columbia University found evidence of recent distant quakes setting off tremors around injection wells in Texas, Oklahoma and Colorado. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Vietnamese delicacy

90 cats may have been destined for the dinner table

Thai police say they have rescued about 90 famished cats that they believed had been headed to Vietnam.

They declined to say what fate they had rescued the felines from, but cats are considered a delicacy in their intended destination. The driver faces charges including animal cruelty and illegal transportation of animals. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Steer Wrestling

Stampede needs to stop hurting animals: Group

The Vancouver Humane Society has called for the suspension of steer wrestling at the Calgary Stampede after a steer had to be euthanized. Society spokesman Peter Fricker says animals should not have to suffer and die "just to entertain a crowd." The animal couldn't get up after having its head and neck twisted. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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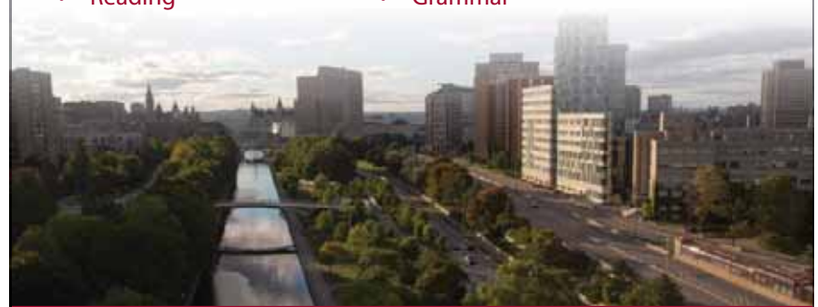

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Top court to hear cell privacy case

Ottawa. Man arrested for armed robbery says police breached his rights by examining his phone

The Supreme Court of Canada is taking on the question of whether police can access information on a cellphone that isn't protected by a password.

The court has agreed to hear an appeal from Kevin Fearon, who was arrested after an armed robbery in Toronto in 2009.

Police obtained photos of a gun and cash, as well as a text message about jewelry, after taking a closer look at Fearon's phone, which was unlocked. After he was convicted, Fearon appealed, arguing that police breached his rights when they examined the phone after his arrest.

The Ontario Court of Appeal said it was all right for the police to look through the phone in a cursory fashion to see if there was evidence relevant to the crime, but after that they should have stopped to get a search warrant.

Had the phone been password-protected or otherwise locked to anyone other than its owner, "it would not have been appropriate" to look through the phone without a search warrant.

The appeal judges referred to a decision in a murder case in which the judge did not allow evidence from a personal electronic device because it "functioned as a mini-computer," which has a high expectation of privacy.

The contents of that device were only extracted by a police officer using specialized equipment, the judges noted.

"There was no suggestion in this case that this particular cellphone functioned as a 'mini-computer,' nor that its contents were not 'immediately visible to the eye,'" the court said in its ruling.

"Rather, because the phone was not password-protected, the photos and the text message were readily available to other users."

Defence lawyer Sean Robichaud said that approach failed to take into account the amount of information many people keep on their cellphones these days.

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No explanation

- As usual, the Supreme Court justices gave no reasons for agreeing to hear the case.
- Kevin Fearon also appealed over the issue of access to a lawyer, saying he was left in an interview room for five hours without an opportunity to contact counsel.
- The Supreme Court, however, said the appeal will be limited to the cellphone issue.

Monroe archive up for sale

Fashion and celebrity photographer Milton H. Greene was only 26 years old when he photographed Marilyn Monroe for Look magazine. He went on to take thousands of photos of the Hollywood siren, capturing both her vulnerability and her sex-bomb persona. Now, 3,700 unpublished black-and-white and colour negatives and transparencies of Greene's Monroe archive are going on the auction block — with copyright. They are but a fraction of 75,000 celebrity negatives and slides Greene shot in the 1950s and 1960s that are going on sale July 27 at Profiles in History in Los Angeles and online. "It's a big, big deal. It's like selling the recipe for Coca-Cola," said Joseph Maddalena, owner of Profiles in History. MILTON H. GREENE/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Air pollution

China to limit vehicle purchases in more cities

China plans to increase the number of cities that restrict vehicle purchases in a bid to fight pollution and traffic congestion, state media reported Thursday. With more than 13 million cars sold in China last year, motor vehicles and their emissions have emerged as the chief culprit for the air pollution in large cities.

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Pharmaceuticals

GlaxoSmithKline execs bribed docs, Chinese police say

China's police ministry accused executives of pharmaceutical supplier GlaxoSmithKline of conducting a large, long-running bribery campaign to persuade doctors to prescribe drugs. GSK employees are accused of paying "large bribes" laundered through travel agencies to doctors, hospitals and others.

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2 key execs leave BlackBerry

BlackBerry says two executives who played significant roles in the new smartphone launch have left the company.

T.A. McCann was vice-president of social networks at Blackberry and oversaw operations of its BlackBerry Messenger service and other apps.

Marc Gingras handled the research and development of BlackBerry 10 email, calendar and contacts applications, and its integration into the new BlackBerry Hub. "We wish them all the best in their future endeavours," the company said in a short statement.

Both men, who left the company amicably over the past month, became BlackBerry employees through the Waterloo, Ont.-based company's acquisition of startups.

McCann was the founder of social calendar company Gist, acquired in 2011. When he joined BlackBerry he became responsible for the integration of third-party apps like Twitter, Facebook, Foursquare and LinkedIn, as well as its messenger service. THE CANADIAN PRESS

A BlackBerry Q5 THE CANADIAN PRESS

Transparency issue

Sheer pants may be due to incorrect size: Lululemon

Retailer Lululemon says customers could still be sporting see-through Luon yoga pants because they're buying sizes that are too small for them. The Vancouver-based company said there are still "a few negative comments" circulating on the Internet from shoppers who it believes are buying the wrong size.

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Royal-kid kitsch. Souvenir makers ready for mad dash

Souvenir plates to mark the forthcoming birth of a baby for Prince William and his wife Kate, Duchess of Cambridge, stand on display in a shop in central London on Wednesday. SANG TAN/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

It's a royal bonanza — but for Britain's souvenir makers, also a royal headache. The upcoming birth of Prince William and his wife Kate's first child is a golden opportunity that comes with a mystery: The name and gender of the baby.

While merchants have known for months that the future heir to the throne is due in mid-July, they'll be sent into a mad dash to create, or at least put finishing touches on, royal baby memorabilia.

Sophie Allport, a designer of fine bone china, is one manufacturer waiting for the future monarch's name to send her commercial plans into motion. She has thousands of pre-orders for hand-crafted commemorative mugs but can't fill them until the baby's name can be etched on the rims.

She's as ready as she can possibly be — having prepared both blue and pink designs depending on whether it's a prince or princess. "We've never done something like this, so I hope it works," said Allport, whose designs, once finished, will be scanned, mailed or even driven by courier to the city of Stoke-on-Trent, the centre of Britain's ceramic industry.

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THE METRO LIST

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1 Pocketful o' change. Stephen Harper's cabinet shuffle reminds me of a time when you could take a $50 bill and change it into a stack of $1 and $2 bills so that you felt a little bit richer. Even though you still only had $50.

2 Cool cats. Last December, a man in Windsor, Ont., was found with 155 dead cats in his freezer. This week, Jerry Miernecki pleaded guilty and was banned from owning more than one animal, which must be spayed or neutered. And one year's probation, because they'll want to keep an eye out for odd behaviour.

3 Miseducation. Remember Lauryn Hill? The reclusive Fugees star left showbiz in 2000 due to the overwhelming pressure, but collected over $1.5 million US in royalties between 2005 and 2007 for which she failed to file income tax. Hill is serving a three-month prison sentence, followed by 90 days of house arrest concurrent with one-year parole. And, on top of that, all of her pets must be spayed or neutered.

4 Ice, ice baby. Homegrown cutie Elisha Cuthbert married Maple Leafs captain Dion Phaneuf this week. Women across the country talked and tweeted about how beautiful she looked in her dress, while male hockey fans imagined the opposite.

5 Go West. Following Armenian religious tradition, Kim Kardashian is keeping herself and Baby North at home for 40 days, or as she puts it, half a marriage-length.

6 Boo who? Honey Boo Boo's back. Regular and scented. Scratch-and-sniff cards courtesy of People magazine and US Weekly let viewers follow their noses from pageant to trailer park. Hey, say what you like but TLC understands marketing to the lowest common denominator. Still, what I've seen provides a pretty good sense of what the show smells like already.

7 King's crown. This week in 1954, a 19-year-old employee of The Crown Electric Company in Memphis, Tenn., gave his notice after signing a contract with Sun Records. Elvis had previously been told by local auditioners to keep his day job. He would arguably become the most influential cultural icon of the 20th century. And yet, right now there are young readers saying, "Elvis who?"

8 Sultans of spin. Are you the best DJ in town? How about the country? If you said, "Hells, yeah," go to redbullthre3style.com to upload your set by July 27. Those chosen will compete across the country in September for a chance to play at the Canadian Thre3style Finals in Calgary in October. Champs get a crazy week in Toronto for the World Finals! Grab a Red Bull and follow the action.

9 Unsilent moment. Last year, Canadian indie band The Mark Inside gathered at the Toronto loft of vocalist/lyricist Chris Levoir for the indefinite task of composing and recording their third album. Forces aligned, creating the sense, personally and artistically, that their most meaningful work had taken shape. Last month, that inspired journey turned bittersweet as the release of Dark Hearts Can Radiate White Light, eerily coincided with Levoir's unexpected death. Visit soundcloud.com/themarkinside to download with loving support to family and friends. Peace.

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ZOOM

Perseverance powers helicopter

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Toronto team takes international prize

Two Toronto engineers have just finished setting up their prize-winning helicopter that is powered by Todd Reichert's powerful legs pedalling a bicycle.

Since 1980, a challenge to engineers across the world — to build a human-powered helicopter, capable of sustaining three metres of flight for 60 seconds — had remained unclaimed.

Teams of engineers from Japan to the U.S. came close, but not close enough. Only Reichert's team has fulfilled the seemingly impossible feat, earning it a $250,000 prize Thursday. The award-winning flight took place in June, after 18 months for the University of Toronto alumni to build and fine tune the project. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Pedal to the 'medal'

"This isn't something that you're going to commute to work in ... but it's an exercise in pushing the limits on what's physically possible, and what you can do with lightweight materials and design."

Todd Reichert

Specs

- It measures nearly 47 metres across, but is also surprisingly light for its size, at just 54 kilograms.
- The lightweight nature of the frame, made largely of carbon-fibre tubes that connect four rotors to a central bike, is a necessity.

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Crowdfunding site Kickstarter is making its way across the border later this summer — but just 'cause us Canucks can't start our own funding projects yet, doesn't mean we can't contribute. Since Kickstarter is generally home to the nerdy entrepreneur, we sorted through what new tech they're coming up with. (So you don't have to. You're welcome.)

Plug:

With files stored all over the place from the cloud to your smartphone to your laptop, plug aims to centralize all your info — the brain of your personal info operation if you will. $69 on Kickstarter, $150 retail once it's made.

Wrist Charge:

No more missed texts from dead phones. No more tangled wires. Wrist Charge looks like one of the slash bracelets from the '90s (these ones aren't fluorescent, don't worry) and uses any USB port. $15 on Kickstarter, $29.99 retail.

C.24 Music Keyboard for iPad:

You might not *need* your iPad to turn into a keyboard, but you might as well. This keyboard acts as a case for the iPad and with the flip of a lever it turns into a piano keyboard. $99 on Kickstarter.

Letters

RE: Narcissism? At The Gym? Obvi, published July 9

Jessica Napier's constant topic is herself/her life (maybe that's her job?), her most-used word seems to be "I."

She thinks "a little bit" of narcissism is OK but, like being pregnant, you're either a narcissist or you're not.

She may want to reacquaint herself with the actual myth.

Alex Lutz, London

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Synopsis

Grown Ups 2 picks up where the last movie left off. Lenny (Adam Sandler in his first ever sequel) has relocated his wife (Salma Hayek) and kids back to his hometown to be closer to friends and family. It's the last day of school, and as the kids are packing up their books, their fathers (Kevin James, Chris Rock, David Spade) grapple with growing up, growing old and a gang of frat boys (lead by Twilight's Taylor Lautner) who think the four old friends are way over the hill.

- Richard: ●●○○○
- Mark: ●●○○○

Reel Guys

RICHARD CROUSE AND MARK BRESLIN

Adam Sandler's comedy Grown Ups 2 opens this weekend. HANDOUT

It's more number two than it is number one

New movie. In the sequel to Grown Ups, the comedy doesn't grow into anything and remains a series of juvenile jokes and potty humour

Richard: Mark, the old saying, "They got bigger, but they didn't grow up," perfectly applies to this new Sandler and Company movie. It's 90 minutes of middle-aged men, urination gags (too many to count) and cleavage shots. So while the actors may have matured (chronologically at least) the jokes haven't. Question is: is it funny? I didn't really think so, although I have to say Shaquille O'Neal's big-guy-Andre-the-Giant shtick made me laugh. You?

Mark: No, I didn't laugh. But let's examine the inventory. Chris Rock may be the funniest stand-up working today, but as a movie star, he's never done anything much worthwhile.

David Spade: Tommy Boy was a long time ago.

Sandler: Well, I only find him funny when he's trying to be serious.

There is only one movie genius here — I'm not kidding — and it's Kevin James. He's the only one of the bunch that can convincingly play a regular guy and not come off like a slumming millionaire. And even then, not in this turkey.

Also you might have to wonder about any sequel that Rob Schneider passes on.

RC: I wondered where Schneider's character was. I guess some friendships don't last forever. I can't say I didn't laugh at all.

James' deadpan dumb kid who can't add or spell is a pretty funny running gag but for a movie about growing up, it was all so juvenile. I didn't expect a searing meditation on aging but I did think they might touch on the fact that they were growing old with more smarts than lines like, "I used to buy 10 cases of beer for my parties, now I get 10 cases of juice boxes."

MB: A good line. I snorted in recognition. And I grudgingly laughed a bit at a few sight gags, like the exploding life raft and some of the '80s outfits at the party finale. But generally, the humour aims too low. But I liked it — if I can use the word — more than the first one. At least it had some nice callbacks and weird twists of coincidence. And it had a lazy summer quality about it, probably the result of lazy screenwriting, acting and direction.

RC: I like silly movies, I just wish it was silly and about something other than a moose urinating on Sandler's unsuspecting family, and by extension, the audience.

MB: We should all feel lucky. In the first draft of the script, it was the other way around.

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What's in store at summer's hottest comic book geek-fest

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July means one thing for the entertainment industry: Comic-Con. Here's what we're geeking out over this year at the annual pop culture smorgasbord in San Diego.

IN FILM

Marvel: The comic book movie juggernaut never ceases to impress in San Diego, and hopefully this year will be no different. We're looking for updates on Avengers 2 as well as the upcoming Captain America and Thor sequels. Plus, wouldn't it be awesome if they brought out the whole cast of Guardians of the Galaxy, their bizarre new super-team movie?

X-Men: Days of Future Past: It feels like it's been forever since Fox has mounted a Hall H presentation for Comic-Con, but this year they're back. Mum is the word on what will be presented, but we have it on good authority something will be done to celebrate the impending release of the Wolverine. More importantly, we're hoping for an update from Bryan Singer on his return to the X-Men franchise.

Godzilla: With Pacific Rim putting giant, city-destroying monsters back in people's minds, the time is right to re-introduce the original kaiju, Godzilla. The reboot, starring Aaron Taylor-Johnson, Ken Watanabe and Elizabeth Olsen, has just started filming, so hopefully there will be some monster-sized surprises in store.

IN TV

Agents of S.H.I.E.L.D.: We may have to wait until summer 2015 for Avengers 2, but Marvel is helping make that wait go faster with this TV spin-off, overseen by Joss Whedon himself. It's easily our most anticipated show of the fall season. And maybe we'll finally learn how Clark Gregg's Agent Coulson — who appeared to have perished in the Avengers — factors into the new show.

Doctor Who: We're halfway through the venerable British sci-fi series' 50th anniversary, so expect big things — especially with current Time Lord Matt Smith bowing out later this year. That makes this his last Comic-Con as Doctor Who, so hopefully he'll make the most of it.

Hannibal: Fans of this dark and twisted drama had to wait a torturously long time for NBC to give it a second season renewal — coming weeks after other series got the green light — so both fans and executive producer Brian Fuller have plenty of reason to celebrate at the show's first panel.

IN GENERAL GEEKERY

Nerd HQ: Chuck star Zachary Levi's Nerd Machine's, a party space devoted to all things nerdy, is back and moving to much bigger digs at Petco Park for a slew of dance parties, celebrity panels and gaming demos. Maybe next year they'll just take over the whole convention centre.

Wired Café: Wired magazine's Comic-Con oasis celebrates its fifth year of offering attendees a respite from the geeky madness with food, drink and gadgets galore. Though, given the level of treachery on the hit HBO series, maybe we'll skip the drinks at the Game of Thrones bar.

The costumes: Celebrities and major movies are nice and all, but what really makes Comic-Con special is the hordes of fans who descend on San Diego — especially the cosplay folks, donning incredibly accurate recreations of character costumes from comics, cartoons and TV. We'll be keeping an eye out for the most creative.

What about Star Wars?

Fans will have to wait

Hey, isn't the new Star Wars movie coming out soon? Wouldn't Comic-Con be the perfect place to do some unveiling? You would think, but every other year Disney — the new parent company in charge of all things Star Wars — has its own summer to-do, the D23 Expo, in August. With D23 looming, it's no surprise the studio will have no presence at Comic-Con aside from its Marvel panel presentation. So fans of the Force will have to wait another month for news on the first of a new series of films in a galaxy far, far away…

A modern twist

Superheroines get a hipster makeover

Artist Elizabeth Beals (society6.com/ElizabethBealsPrints) is giving superheroines a modern look by turning them into their hipster selves. The illustrations of the DC female protagonists — Diana Prince (Wonder Woman), Harleen Quinzel (Harley Quinn) and Selina Kyle (Catwoman) — look like they would be at home in an episode of Girls. While to the naked eye they may seem like your average 20-something, little nods to their super personalities present a fun new take on these classic characters.
METRO

Catwoman

Wonder Woman

Harley Quinn

Conjuring up old-school horror

Patrick Wilson. The actor chats with Metro about his latest horror flick, which was a throwback to the '70s

NED EHRBAR
Metro World News in Hollywood

When it comes to discussing contemporary horror movies, "restraint" isn't usually a word that comes up too often.

But it's one that actor Patrick Wilson keeps coming back to when describing how director James Wan (Saw, Insidious) approached The Conjuring, based on a case file by real-life paranormal investigators Ed Warren (Wilson) and Lorraine Warren (Vera Farmiga).

The irony doesn't escape Wilson that Wan is at least partially responsible for the current state of horror, but against that backdrop, The Conjuring — presented as if it were released during its early 1970s setting — is a throwback in the best possible way.

Patrick Wilson (far left) stars in the Conjuring. CONTRIBUTED

This movie is seriously terrifying.
Yeah, the movie's no joke. I watched it again last night, and my friend who was with me — who had also seen it with me before — jumped more this time than he did the other time. I kept looking over at him like, "But you know what's coming." I would even look at him right before something happened, and he would look at me like, "I know," and then he'd look back at the screen and he'd still jump.

There's a lot of restraint in how the film sticks to its time period, feeling very much in mood and style like a 1970s film.
James said that to me very early on. It was the '70s without hitting people over the head — with bell bottoms or an episode of Partridge Family or something. Yeah, it's in the '70s and you've got '70s clothes, and you've got the odd "groovy" that the kids say — which they would — and I think it gives people a little frame of reference, but it's not blatant.

It's refreshing to see the older style of making scary movies is still effective.
No disrespect to horror movies from the past 15 years, but when people say, "What are the great horror movies?" you're always drawn to the Exorcist — that movie always comes up as one of maybe three or four that are arguably the best. Those are movies that are rich in character and not overly graphic. The violence is used appropriately, the blood is used appropriately. And I think James has a real affinity for that, which I always admired, especially coming from Saw. He almost started this whole movement, I feel like, with the shock and the gore and everything. But one of the things that struck me about (our previous collaboration) Insidious was the complete opposite of that. And now he's just really hit his stride.

Mind the App

Backseat Driver

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From Toyota comes this GPS system for kids that allows them to follow the movements of your car with their own, collecting landmarks from the places you pass for prizes.

Science Fiction

Pacific Rim

Director. Guillermo del Toro

Stars. Charlie Hunnam, Idris Elba, Rinko Kikuchi

Director Guillermo del Toro has made an end-of-the-world scenario fun. In Pacific Rim the planet is threatened by Kaijus, colossal beasts with an appetite for destruction. Giant robots called Jaegers, operated by pilots like Raleigh Becket (Charlie "Sons of Anarchy" Hunnam) are the last hope to fight the beasts and save the world. Add to that Ron Perlman in a colourful cameo, huge-scale martial arts and some crazy Roger Corman-esque science theories and you have a geek freak-out that transports you back in time to wherever you saw your first Godzilla movie.

RICHARD CROUSE

Man! I feel like a woman

"It was at that moment I had an epiphany, and I went home and started crying. Talking to my wife, I said 'I have to make this picture,' and she said, 'Why?' And I said, 'Because I think I am an interesting woman when I look at myself on screen. And I know that if I met myself at a party, I would never talk to that character because she doesn't fulfil physically the demands that we're brought up to think women have to have in order to ask them out.'"

Dustin Hoffman, in a candid interview with the American Film Institute about his role in the 1982 film Tootsie.

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Bytowne Cinema
325 Rideau St.

The Act of Killing (14A) Thu 6:45
Laura (PG) Fri 5:01 Sat 3:20
The Manor (14A) Sat 9:15 Sun 8:40 Mon 6:59 Tue-Wed 9:25
Much Ado About Nothing (14A) Fri 9:20 Sat 6:45 Sun 3:50-6:10 Mon 8:55 Tue-Wed 6:59 Thu 9:15
Scatter My Ashes at Bergdorf's (STC) Fri 7:05 Sat 4:35 Sun 1:45

Canadian Museum of nature
240 McLeod St.

Dinosaur Passage to Pangaea 3D (STC) Fri-Thu 10:30-1:10 Fri-Thu 11:15-1:50
Flying Monsters 3D (STC) Fri-Thu 12-2:30-3:40 Fri-Thu 12:35-3:05
Manufactured Landscapes (STC) Fri 6 Thu 6

Coliseum Ottawa
3090 Carling Ave.

The Conjuring (14A) Thu 8-10:50
Despicable Me 2 (G) No Passes Fri-Thu 2-4:30-7-9:30
Despicable Me 2 3D (G) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:10-2:40-5:10-7:40-10:10
Grown Ups 2 (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:30-3-5:30-8-10:30
The Heat (14A) Fri-Sat 12:05-2:45-5:30-8:15-11 Sun 6:40 Mon-Tue 12:05-2:45-5:30-8:15-11 Wed 12:05-2:45-11 Thu 12:05-2:45-5:30-8:15-11 Sun 12:05-2:45-5:20
The Lone Ranger (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:40-4-7:20-10:40
Lootera (PG) Fri-Tue 12:35-3:50-7:10-10:20 Wed 12:35-3:50-10:20 Thu 12:35-3:50-7:10-10:20
Man of Steel 3D (PG) Fri-Sat 12:15-3:25-6:40-10 Sun 12:15-3:25-10 Mon-Tue 12:15-3:25-6:40-10
Monsters University (G) Fri-Thu 12-2:40
Monsters University 3D (G) Fri-Wed 5:20-8-10:45 Thu 5:20
Pacific Rim (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 4:35
Pacific Rim 3D (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:30-7:40-10:45
R.I.P.D. 3D (PG) No Passes Thu 10
Red 2 (PG) Thu 7-9:50
This Is the End (18A) Fri-Tue 1:40-4:50-7:50-10:25 Wed 12:15-3:10-10:25 Thu 1:40-4:50-7:50-10:25
Turbo (G) No Passes Wed-Thu 12:20
Turbo 3D (G) No Passes Wed-Thu 2:50-5:15-8:10-10:40
Venus and Serena (STC) Wed 7:30
White House Down (PG) Fri-Wed 1:10-4:20-7:30-10:35 Thu 3:45
Star & Strollers Screening Thu 1
World War Z 3D (14A) Fri-Wed 1:20-4:10-6:50-9:40 Thu 1:20-4:10-6:50
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Empire 7 Cinemas
111 Albert St. 3rd Floor
World Exchange Plaza

Before Midnight (14A) Dolby Stereo Fri 2:45-6-8:45 Dolby Stereo Sat-Sun 12:15-2:45-6-8:45 Dolby Stereo Mon 2:45-6-8:45 Dolby Stereo Tue 12:15-2:45-6-8:45 Dolby Stereo Wed 2:45-6-8:45 Dolby Stereo Thu 2:45-6
The Conjuring (14A) Digital, No Passes Thu 8:50
Grown Ups 2 (PG) Dolby Stereo, No Passes Fri 4-6:45-9:45 Dolby Stereo, No Passes Sat-Sun 1-4-6:45-9:45 Dolby Stereo, No Passes Mon 4-6:45-9:45 Dolby Stereo, No Passes Tue 1-4-6:45-9:45 Dolby Stereo, No Passes Wed-Thu 4-6:45-9:45
The Heat (14A) Dolby Stereo Fri 3:45-6:30-9:15 Dolby Stereo Sat-Sun 12:45-3:45-6:30-9:15 Dolby Stereo Mon 3:45-6:30-9:15 Dolby Stereo Tue 12:45-3:45-6:30-9:15 Dolby Stereo Wed-Thu 3:45-6:30-9:15
The Lone Ranger (PG) Dolby Stereo Fri 3-6:15-9:30 Dolby Stereo Sat-Sun 11:30-3-6:15-9:30 Dolby Stereo Mon 3-6:15-9:30 Dolby Stereo Tue 11:30-3-6:15-9:30 Dolby Stereo Wed-Thu 3-6:15-9:30
Pacific Rim (PG) Dolby Stereo, No Passes Fri-Thu 3:30
Pacific Rim 3D (PG) Dolby Stereo, No Passes Fri 7-10 Dolby Stereo, No Passes Sat-Sun 12-7-10 Dolby Stereo, No Passes Mon 7-10 Dolby Stereo, No Passes Tue 12-7-10 Dolby Stereo, No Passes Wed 7-10 Dolby Stereo, No Passes Thu 6-10
Red 2 (PG) Dolby Stereo Thu 7:15-10:15
This Is the End (18A) Dolby Stereo Fri 2:30-7:15-10 Dolby Stereo Sat-Sun 11:45-2:30-7:15-10 Dolby Stereo Mon 2:30-7:15-10 Dolby Stereo Tue 11:45-2:30-7:15-10 Dolby Stereo Wed 2:30-7:15-10 Dolby Stereo Thu 2:30
World War Z (14A) Dolby Stereo Fri 6 Dolby Stereo Sat-Sun 12:30-6 Dolby Stereo Mon 6 Dolby Stereo Tue 12:30-6 Dolby Stereo Wed 6
World War Z 3D (14A) Dolby Stereo Fri-Thu 3:15-9

Mayfair Theatre
1074 Bank St.

A Band Called Death (PG) Fri 9:45 Sat 9:15 Wed-Thu 9:15
The Croods (G) Sat-Sun 1
The Great Gatsby (PG) Fri 6:45 Sat 3:15-6:15 Sun 8:15 Tue 6:30
The Ladies' Man (STC) Mon 7
Love, Marilyn (PG) Sun 6 Wed-Thu 7
The Reluctant Fundamentalist (STC) Mon 9 Tue 9:30
The Room (STC) Sat 11:30

Rainbow Cinemas
St. Laurent Centre
1200 St. Laurent Blvd.

After Earth (PG) Fri-Thu 10:30-12:35-2:45-4:55-7:05
Before Midnight (14A) Fri-Thu 1:10-4-6:40
The Company You Keep (14A) Fri-Thu 12:15-9:05
The Croods (G) Fri-Thu 10-12:05-2:15-4:30-6:50
The Great Gatsby (PG) Fri-Thu 10:20-1:20-6:30
The Hangover Part III (14A) Fri-Thu 4:20-9:20
The Iceman (14A) Fri-Thu 9:15
The Kings of Summer (14A) Fri-Thu 10:10-2:40-4:50-7
Mud (PG) Fri-Thu 10:15-9
Oblivion (PG) Fri-Thu 8:50

South Keys
2214 Bank St.

African Cats (STC) Sun 12:45
Chimpanzee (G) Wed 11
The Conjuring (14A) Thu 10
Despicable Me 2 (G) No Passes Fri-Thu 11:30-2:20-4:50-7:10-9:30
Despicable Me 2 3D (G) No Passes Fri-Thu 10:15-12:35-3-5:30-7:50-10:10
Four Sisters and a Wedding (PG) Fri 10:25-1:10-4-6:50-9:40 Sat 1:10-4-6:50-9:40 Sun-Tue 10:25-1:10-4-6:50-9:40 Wed 1:10-4-6:50-9:40 Thu 10:25-1:10-4-6:50-9:40
Grown Ups 2 (PG) No Passes Fri-Tue 11:45-2:15-4:45-7:15-9:45 No Passes Wed 11:15-1:45-4:10-7:25-9:45 No Passes Thu 11:45-2:15-4:45-7:15-9:45
The Heat (14A) Fri-Tue 10:50-2-4:40-7:25-10:25 Wed 10:50-2-4:40-10:25 Thu 10:50-2-4:40-7:25-10:25
Kung Fu Panda (PG) Sat 11
The Lone Ranger (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:15-3:45-7:05-10:15
Man of Steel (PG) Fri-Wed 12:25-3:40-6:45-9:50 Thu 12:25-3:40
Monsters University (G) Fri-Tue 10:45-1:20 Wed-Thu 10:45-1:20-4:05-7-9:35
Monsters University 3D (G) Fri-Tue 4:05-7-9:35
Pacific Rim (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 3:55
Pacific Rim 3D (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:45-6:55-10
R.I.P.D. 3D (PG) No Passes Thu 10
Red 2 (PG) Thu 7-9:50
This Is the End (18A) Fri-Tue 11:35-2:30-5:05-7:40-10:30
Turbo (G) No Passes Wed-Thu 10:30-12:50
Turbo 3D (G) No Passes Wed-Thu 3:15-5:40-8-10:20
White House Down (PG) Fri-Sat 10:20-1:15-4:15-7:20-10:20 Sun 4:15-7:20-10:20 Mon-Wed 10:20-1:15-4:15-7:20-10:20 Thu 12:20-3:30-6:45
World War Z 3D (14A) Fri-Wed 10:55-1:40-4:25-7:30-10:05 Thu 10:55-1:40-4:25-7:15

Canadian Museum of civilization
100 rue Laurier

Born to Be Wild (STC) Sat 12 Mon 12 Thu 12
Cirque du Soleil: Journey of Man (STC) Sat 5 Sun-Mon 2 Tue 3 Wed 2 Thu 3 Sun-Mon 2
Cirque du Soleil: Passages (STC) Fri 4 Sun 1-4 Mon-Tue 6
Les Dauphins (STC) Fri 11 Sun 11 Tue 11
Dauphins et baleines 3D: Nomades des mers (STC) Wed 11
Le dernier récif 3D (STC) Thu 4
Dolphins (G) Fri 12 Sun 12 Tue 12
Everest (STC) Tue-Thu 8
Flight of the Butterflies 3D (STC) Fri 2 Sat 3 Sun 5 Mon 3 Tue 5 Wed 12-7
L' incroyable voyage des papillons 3D (STC) Fri 1 Sat 4 Mon 4
L'Express des Rocheuses (STC) Fri 7 Sat 1 Mon 1 Tue 4 Wed 4-7
The Last Reef: Cities Beneath the Sea 3D (STC) Wed 1 Thu 6
Nés pour être libres (STC) Sat 11 Mon 11 Thu 11
Rocky Mountain Express (STC) Fri 3 Sat 2-7 Sun 3 Mon 5 Tue 2-7 Wed 3 Thu 2-5-7
Titans de l'ère glaciaire 3D (STC) Sat 6 Tue 1
Titans of the Ice Age 3D (STC) Fri 5 Wed 5 Thu 1

Cinéma des Galeries d'Aylmer
400 boul. Wilfrid-Lavigne

Despicable Me 2 (G) Fri-Tue 3:10 Wed-Thu 3:10-9:10
Despicable Me 2 3D (G) Fri-Tue 1:10-7-9:10
Détestable moi 2 (G) Fri-Tue 1 Wed-Thu 12:50-6:50
Détestable moi 2 3D (G) Fri-Tue 3:20
The Heat (13+) Fri-Tue 6:40-9:20
Louis Cyr: L`homme le plus fort du monde (G) Fri-Thu 12:50-3:30-6:50-9:30
Pacific Rim 3D (G) Fri-Thu 1-3:40-7-9:40
Turbo 3D (G) Wed-Thu 1:10-7:10-9:20 Wed-Thu 3:20

Ciné-starz
1100 boul. Maloney Ouest

Après la terre (G) Fri-Thu 8:45
Les Croods (G) Fri-Thu 12-1:45-3:30-5:15-7
Insaisissable (G) Fri-Thu 1:50-6:20-9:45
Iron Man 3 (G) Fri-Thu 12-4:05-7:30-8:20
Rapides et dangereux 6 (13+) Fri-Thu 12-2:15-4:30-6:45-9
Épique (G) Fri-Thu 12-2:15-3:50-5:40

Ciné-Parc Templeton Drive-In
1779 boul. Maloney Est

Despicable Me 2 (G) Fri-Tue
Insaisissable (G) Fri-Tue
Louis Cyr: L`homme le plus fort du monde (G) Fri-Tue
No Films Showing Today (STC) Wed-Thu
The Purge (13+) Fri-Tue

StarCité Hull
115 boul. du Plateau

The Conjuring (13+) Thu 8-10:30
Despicable Me 2 (G) No Passes Fri-Thu 11:45-1:55-4:20-6:45-9:10
Détestable moi 2 (G) No Passes Fri-Thu 11:55-2:20-4:45-7:10-9:35
Détestable moi 2 3D (G) No Passes Fri-Wed 12:10-2:40-5:10-7:40-10:10 No Passes Thu 12:10-2:40-5:10-7:40
Grandes personnes 2 (G) No Passes Fri-Thu 12-2:25-4:50-7:15-9:40
Grown Ups 2 (G) No Passes Fri-Wed 12:30-3-5:30-8-10:30 No Passes Thu 4:30-8-10:30 Star & Strollers Screening, No Passes Thu 1:30
The Heat (13+) Fri-Thu 12-2:35-5:10-7:55-10:40
Kung Fu Panda (G) Sat 11 Sat 11
L'Université des Monstres (G) Fri-Tue 12-2:35-5:10-7:45-10:20
The Lone Ranger (G) No Passes Fri-Tue 1-4:15-7:30-10:45 No Passes Wed 12:30-3:45-7:30-10:45 No Passes Thu 1-4:15-7:30-10:45
The Lone Ranger: Le justicier masqué (G) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:30-3:45-7-10:15
Louis Cyr: L`homme le plus fort du monde (G) Fri-Wed 12:30-3:35-6:50-9:55 Thu 3:55-6:50-9:55 Fri 1:20-4:25-7:30-10:35 Sat 10:40-1:20-4:25-7:30-10:35 Sun-Thu 1:20-4:25-7:30-10:35 Thu 1
Maison Blanche en péril (13+) Fri-Thu 4:35
Man of Steel (G) Fri-Tue 1:10-4:20-7:30-10:40 Wed 1:10-4:20-10:40 Thu 12:30-3:40
Pacific Rim (G) No Passes Fri-Thu 4:35
Pacific Rim 3D (G) No Passes Fri 1:30-7:40-10:45 No Passes Sat 10:50-1:30-7:40-10:45 No Passes Sun-Thu 1:30-7:40-10:45
R.I.P.D. 3D (G) No Passes Thu 10
Red 2 (G) Thu 7-9:40
Rives du Pacifique (G) No Passes Fri-Thu 4
Rives du Pacifique 3D (G) No Passes Fri-Thu 1-7-10
Turbo (G) No Passes Wed-Thu 11:50
Turbo 3D (G) No Passes Wed-Thu 2:15-4:40-7:05-9:30
White House Down (13+) Fri-Wed 1:35-7:35-10:35 Thu 1:35
World War Z (13+) Wed-Thu 12-2:40-5:20-8-10:40
World War Z 3D (13+) Fri-Tue 12-2:40-5:20-8-10:40

Barrhaven Cinemas
131 Riocan Dr.

Despicable Me 2 (G) No Passes Fri-Wed 11:40-2:10 Star & Strollers Screening, No Passes Thu 1
Despicable Me 2 3D (G) No Passes Fri-Thu 4:40-7:10-9:40
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The Heat (14A) Fri-Thu 11:30-2:15-5-7:45-10:30
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World War Z 3D (14A) Fri-Thu 1:40-4:30-7:20-10:10

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African Cats (STC) Sun 12:45
Annie (PG) Thu 7
Chimpanzee (G) Wed 11
The Conjuring (14A) Thu 8-10:55
Despicable Me 2 (G) No Passes Fri-Thu 11:50-2:25-5-7:35-10:10
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Fast & Furious 6 (PG) Fri-Tue 1:15-4:20-7:25-10:30
Grease (PG) Sat 12:45
Grown Ups 2 (PG) No Passes Fri-Tue 11:45-12:25-2:20-3-4:55-5:35-7:30-8:10-10-10:50 No Passes Wed 11:45-2:20-3:35-4:55-7:30-8:10-10-10:50 No Passes Thu 11:45-12:25-2:20-3-4:55-5:35-7:30-8:10-10-10:50 Star & Strollers Screening, No Passes Wed 1
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Monsters University (G) Fri-Tue 11:55 Wed-Thu 11:55-2:35-5:15-7:55-10:35
Monsters University 3D (G) Fri-Tue 2:35-5:15-7:55-10:35
Now You See Me (PG) Fri-Sat 1:20-4:10-6:55-9:50 Sun 4:10-6:55-9:50 Mon 1:20-4:10-9:50 Tue-Wed 1:20-4:10-6:55-9:50 Thu 1:20-4:10-9:50
Pacific Rim (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 4:05
Pacific Rim 3D (PG) No Passes Fri 1-7:10-10:15 No Passes Sat 11:10-1-7:10-10:15 No Passes Sun-Tue 1-7:10-10:15 No Passes Wed 11:10-1-7:10-10:15 No Passes Thu 1-7:10-10:15
Pacific Rim: An IMAX 3D Experience (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:30-4:35-7:40-10:45
R.I.P.D. 3D (PG) No Passes Thu 10
Red 2 (PG) Thu 7-9:45
Star Trek Into Darkness (PG) Fri-Thu 1:40
Star Trek Into Darkness 3D (PG) Fri-Sat 4:45-7:50-10:55 Sun 4:45-7:50 Mon-Wed 4:45-7:50-10:55 Thu 4:45
This Is the End (18A) Fri-Thu 12:15-2:50-5:25-8-10:40
To Catch a Thief (PG) Mon 7
Turbo (G) No Passes Wed-Thu 11:45
Turbo 3D (G) No Passes Wed-Thu 2:15-4:50-7:25-9:55
White House Down (PG) Fri-Thu 12:55-4:15-7:20-10:25
World War Z 3D (14A) Fri-Wed 2:15-5:10-8:05-10:50 Thu 1:35-4:20-7:05
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Empire Theatres Orleans 6 Cinemas
3752 Innes Rd.

Despicable Me 2 (G) Digital, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri-Thu 12:15-4-7:15-9:45
Despicable Me 2 3D (G) Dolby Stereo Digital Fri-Thu 3:30-9:50
Détestable moi 2 (G) Digital, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri-Thu 1-7:10
Grown Ups 2 (PG) Digital, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri-Thu 12:45-4:10-6:40-9:40
The Heat (14A) Digital, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri-Thu 11:45-2:45-6-9
The Lone Ranger (PG) Digital, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri-Thu 11:30-3-6:30-10
Man of Steel (PG) Digital, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri-Tue 11:40-3:10-6:45-10:10
Monsters University (G) Digital, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri-Tue 1:10-7:20 Digital, Dolby Stereo Digital Wed 1:10-4:20-7:20-10:05 Digital, Dolby Stereo Digital Thu 1:10-4:20-6:45-9:15
Monsters University 3D (G) Dolby Stereo Digital Fri-Tue 4:20-10:05
Pacific Rim 3D (PG) Dolby Stereo Digital, No Passes Fri-Thu 12:30-3:45-7-10:15
Red 2 (PG) Digital, Dolby Stereo Digital Thu 7:20-10:20
This Is the End (18A) Digital, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri-Wed 9:20
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Step your music game up

SOUND CHECK
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Three tracks that should already be on your radar

Shark Attack (I Can See Them Circling)/The Mark Inside

Just as this Toronto band was about to release their new album, Dark Hearts Can Radiate White Light, singer and guitarist Chris Levoir passed away. The group is now giving away the entire record (which is very good) in his memory.

9/Föllakzoid

I've seen this Chilean band's music described as "alternative cosmic trance." It sounds more like Krautrock to me, but whatever. This track from the album entitled II is a brilliant driving song.

Delightfully F'd Up/Alex Silas

This singer/poet/MC/rapper from Ottawa makes a palatable smoothie out of indie rock, blues, electronic, folk and reggae.

If you're going to get some random access, wrap it up

Daft Punk. Electronica duo joins a long list of artists who have partnered with condom brands to extend their reach

MICHELLE CASTILLO
Metro World News

If you're about to get lucky, Daft Punk wants to make sure you're protected. That's why the French duo has partnered with condom maker Durex to make Get Lucky condoms, named after the first single off of their latest album Random Access Memories.

Here's other celebrities who have mixed business with pleasure.

Ke$ha
During the singer's Get Sleazy tour, Ke$ha encouraged her fans to have some fun but stay safe when she shot hundreds of Lifestyle condoms featuring a picture of her face out of a cannon at her concerts.

Don't get lucky without Get Lucky.
HANDOUT

JLS
The X-Factor boy group partnered with Durex for a Just Love Safe campaign in order to encourage safe sex behaviour among their young fans. The four packages featured a different colour and picture of a JLS member.

Ludacris
While he didn't get his own condom, the rapper was the spokesperson for the Magnum Live Large Project, which honoured men with lyrical talent who used the extra-large sized condom.

Fans were encouraged to create Magnum-themed lyrics to a pre-recorded track, and the winner won $5,000, a chance to get their song played on national radio, a trip to an Atlanta hip-hop festival and the chance to be brought on stage during one of Ludacris' shows.

Lord of the Rings
We're pretty sure the LoTR-branded condoms aren't official. However, whoever owns the property rights to the series is probably kicking themselves for not putting that thou shalt not pass tagline on a rubber themselves.

Is it you inside my head?

'Humorous tribute' to Lionel Richie. Art collective makes giant head of singer and the best part is that it doubles as a bedroom

KIERON MONKS
Metro World News

A member of art collective Hungry Castle stands beside the head.

Barcelona-based art collective Hungry Castle have found a novel way to pay tribute to classic soul singer Lionel Richie, building a five-metre inflatable sculpture of his head that plays his hit song Hello.

The crew raised more than $15,000 to fund the project through Kickstarter, and Lionel will be touring festivals in the UK this summer and giving fans the opportunity to sleep inside.

We talked to art director Killian Cooper.

With this massive head, are you saying that Lionel Richie is arrogant?
We're not criticizing him. The main inspiration was the end of the Hello music video, which is a little disturbing when he is technically stalking a blind girl, who sculpts a bust of his head.

What impact will it have on people? Do you expect romance inside the head?
There are two Australian guys travelling from Melbourne who bid £1,000 to spend a night in the head. It will be full on luxury in there, decked out with champagne, so I expect romance. Maybe they will bring girls in or just get to know each other better.

Festival-goers can be a rough crowd. Are you worried about vandalism?
Yes, there will always be people who want to attack that kind of thing, like mascots who wear bear outfits. We will have overnight security but I don't know if they would take a bullet for the head.

You're touring a lot of busy outdoor events. How about Tahrir Square?
Not sure about Egypt but I like the idea of travelling in different countries with it and it saying hello to people.

What other heads might you do?
This is it. We're focusing on Lionel Richie but doing other artistic projects with him — like a sculpture class with smaller heads. If I had to do another one? Mr T.

Is Lionel Richie going to sue?
New audiences are discovering his music so maybe he is grateful.

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Mos Def most definitely puts himself on the line with video

Guantanamo Bay. Human rights organization Reprieve started an initiative to raise awareness on force-feeding practices

Actor and rapper Yasiin Bey, better known as Mos Def, has tears in his eyes as he pleads for the men who are holding him down not to continue. The men make a move to re-insert a thin, plastic tube in his nostril, and he fights them despite being shackled. A man off camera finally yells for them to stop, and Bey breaks down.

The dramatic video, demonstrating how prisoners are force fed in Guantanamo Bay, lasts less than five minutes. In real life, the whole process lasts two hours and occurs twice a day, Cori Crider, human rights organization Reprieve's strategic director, explained.

"The point of the video is to humanize their plight," Crider told Metro World News.

Reprieve, along with BAFTA-award winning director Asif Kapadia (Senna), created the video to bring awareness to the violations that many of the more than 100 protesters who are hunger striking at the detention centre are going through. The U.S. government has acknowledged that 45 prisoners are being force fed to prevent starvation.

The group approached Bey and explained that they were looking for a person in the public eye to show the brutal process.

"He's in sincere and pretty severe pain," Crider said. "Your throat tenses up when you are nervous. ... He said he thought it was one of the more important things he had been involved in."

Crider, who is an attorney who has represented dozens of prisoners in the centre over the years, explained that the hunger strike started in February over many issues culminating in the burning of Quran books. However, she felt it had been long forgotten by the media.

What she and her team at Reprieve want is simple.

They want the U.S. government to stop the force feeding of prisoners during the daylight hours of Ramadan, which began on July 10.

They want medical professionals to stop administering Reglan, a medication prescribed for anti-vomiting and nausea in the U.S. that comes with a warning not to take it longer than 12 weeks.

They want prisoners to have the right to choose whether they want to protest and hunger strike, and not to be forced against their will to receive nutrients.

"I don't see any end in sight," she said.

Crider hopes that with the massive attention the video is getting, people will become passionate about the issue and join the fight.

At the very least, she hopes the U.S. government will understand that force feeding is not acceptable, and that they will transfer people who have been cleared by U.S. national security as not being terrorist threats. METRO

No response

Reprieve hasn't received a response from the Obama administration.

- **Quote.** "I hope they treat it like an emergency situation soon because God knows what will happen," Crider stated.
- **Watch.** youtube.com/watch?v=4hQ5xz_5to4

Mos Def is at the centre of a new video about forced feeding. GETTY IMAGES

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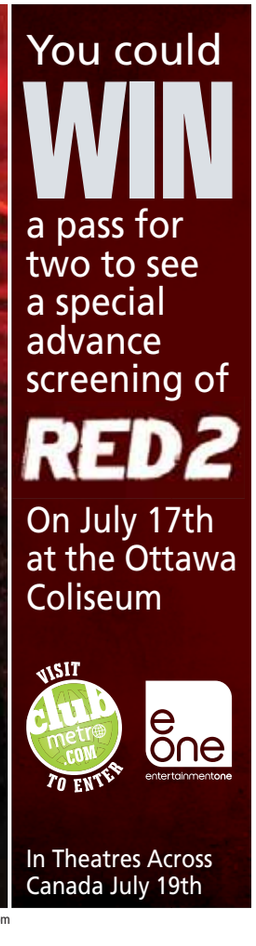
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Singer Jehnny Beth and musician Gemma Thompson of Savages perform at 2013 Coachella Valley Music & Arts Festival. JASON KEMPIN/GETTY IMAGES

They may have tamed the shrew, but they can't tame the Savages

New album. Lead singer Jehnny Beth speaks about controlling that fear and their all-caps approach to making music and their shows

PAT HEALY
Metro World News

Savages are four London women whose punctuated attack on every song is every bit as vicious and thrilling as their name implies.

The band's recently released album, Silence Yourself feels like a tightly coiled musical manifesto of sexual politics and a dystopian future. While the band was en route to the States, we petitioned Jehnny Beth for an email interview.

There's a lot about your approach that invokes fear, and a lot of it seems to be a fear of where humanity is heading. (One of the first lines a listener will hear on your debut album is that "The world's a dead, sorry hole") At what point did you realize this sort of unsettling feeling would be a thematic element to what Savages is all about?
Fear is one of the main characteristics of human behaviour. You can explain a lot of things when you understand how much fear controls in lots of different ways what people think and how they behave. If someone is angry, it is probably because he/she is scared. Learning how to control fear is one first step towards emancipation.

Fear and fear itself

"Fear is one of the main characteristics of human behaviour. You can explain a lot of things when you understand how much fear controls."
Jehnny Beth
Savages lead singer on the use of fear imagery in her lyrics

I've read that you have said your writing process is one that is more of stripping away than adding things. So what does a Savages song sound like when it's first brought into the rehearsal room?
There's never been a set way in which we write a song. There are usually too many ideas for just one song, so we select the best one and forget about the rest. We see it as a Darwinist process. If an idea is not strong enough, it will not survive.

The all-caps prose on the cover of the album is very powerful and also seems to relate to this same sort of unsettling feeling and seems to speak about where technology is taking us and sapping away our humanity. First of all, would you agree with that statement? And secondly, did those words ever land in any rough drafts of songs as lyrics or were they always a separate mission statement of sorts? Is this part of the notion of stripping away?
I wouldn't say it is about technology in particular. It is more about a general sentiment of self-dispersion, which I think is common to everyone and that I experience myself too. I think it would be wrong and reductive to direct this text towards one single particular meaning. It was my intention to keep it poetic and open so people can make it their own.

You have posted other effective all-caps announcements, particularly the one outside your shows, discouraging people from tweeting, photographing etc. while you're performing. Are you seeing less phone glow from the crowd since posting this?
Yes, since we've put the signs up, I barely see any iPhones in the crowd during the performances. I think people are dying for these kind of things to stop from happening, but it's easier to do it as a group than on your own. It instantly changed the gigs! People started dancing, we have moshpits now. It's not like we are telling anyone off for not respecting the rules. These are no rules, they are only guidance.

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OUR TAKE ON THE WORLD OF CELEBRITIES

Halle Berry ALL IMAGES GETTY

Low key wedding bells imminent for Berry

Halle Berry will reportedly marry her fiancé, Olivier Martinez, this weekend, according to E! News, though the location of the event is still a mystery. Berry and Martinez were spotted flying out of LAX earlier this week with Berry's daughter, Nahla, in tow. If Berry's interview with InStyle last year is any indication, it will be an intimate ceremony. "I do know it will be very small," she told the magazine. The couple, who have been engaged since March 2012, are expecting their first child together.

LeAnn Rimes

LeAnn laughing her ass off at pregnancy rumours

Country singer LeAnn Rimes finds Star magazine's claims that she's expecting a baby with husband Eddie Cibrian hilarious. "(Laughing my ass off,) Star magazine," she tweeted in response to the story. "I don't know if you (doctor) the pics or pick the worst one you can find, but I'm far from pregnant and just dropped a jean size."

The Word

King of Queens star leaves Church of Scientology

MELINDA TAUB
Metro World News in New York City

King of Queens and The Talk star Leah Remini has left the Church of Scientology. Apparently Remini, who has been a member of the church for many years, grew tired of the organization's habit of cutting off ties with people it deems "suppressive."

"It all began when Leah questioned the validity of excommunication of people," a source told the Post. "She is stepping back from a regime she thinks is corrupt. She thinks no religion should tear apart a family or abuse someone under the umbrella of 'religion.'" Apparently, at Tom Cruise and Katie Holmes's wedding, the actress asked politely where church leader David Miscavige's wife was. It must have been a loaded question, because Remini was slammed with years of auditing and "thought modification." Remini is reportedly considering going public, but wants to wait and see what the church is going to do, since they're rumoured to harass those who try to leave.

Remini can stay at my place if she needs to hide out. I am a strong supporter of religious freedom for sitcom stars.

Angelina Jolie

War, what is it good for? An Angelina Jolie movie, apparently

Angelina Jolie has her second project as a director all lined up. The actress and activist will be taking on Unbroken, a Second World War drama about former prisoner of war Louie Zamperini, according to Yahoo News. "I've had the privilege of spending a great deal of time with Louie Zamperini, who is a hero of mine, and now — I am proud to say — a dear friend," Jolie says in a statement. "I am deeply honoured to be telling his extraordinary story, and I will do my absolute best to give him the film he deserves." Oscar-winners Joel and Ethan Coen are writing the script, and Jolie was spotted in Hawaii this week scouting locations. Jolie's first film as a director, In the Land of Blood and Honey, was released in 2011.

Twitter

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drake is stunning

@EmmaBunton
Good morning, not a great start to mine. I'm late and I've forgotten my make up!

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A crispy nacho is a happy (tasty) nacho

Corn and Steak Grilled Nachos. When they're nuked in the microwave, these little guys die a soggy death. Save a nacho from this sad ending with your barbecue

Before turning on the grill, make sure the baking sheet you plan to use fits on it with the lid down. If it doesn't, you can divide the ingredients into multiple smaller pans. The smaller pans also can be cooked in batches, if needed.

1. In a medium bowl, whisk together the adobo sauce, tomato paste, oil, garlic powder and salt. Add the steak and mix to coat thoroughly. Cover and refrigerate for at least 20 minutes and up to overnight.

2. When ready to cook, heat the grill to medium-high.

3. Rub the corn with a bit of canola oil, then set it on the grill. Cook the corn, turning often, until lightly browned on all sides, about 2 to 3 minutes. Transfer the corn to a plate and set aside until cool enough to handle.

4. Meanwhile, use an oil-soaked paper towel held with tongs to coat the grill grates with oil. Add the steak and grill for 1 to 2 minutes per side, or to desired doneness. Transfer to a plate and set aside. Leave the grill on, but reduce the heat to low.

5. Arrange the tortilla chips in an even layer on a rimmed baking sheet. Spread the steak evenly over the chips.

6. Cut the corn kernels from the cobs. To do this, stand the ear on its wide end, then use a knife to saw down the length of the sides. Scatter the corn kernels over the steak and chips, then scatter the cheese over that. Set the baking sheet on the grill, cover the grill and cook for 7 to 10 minutes, or until the cheese is melted.

7. Remove the baking sheet from the grill, then scatter the tomatoes, pepperoncini and diced onion over the other toppings. Serve immediately.

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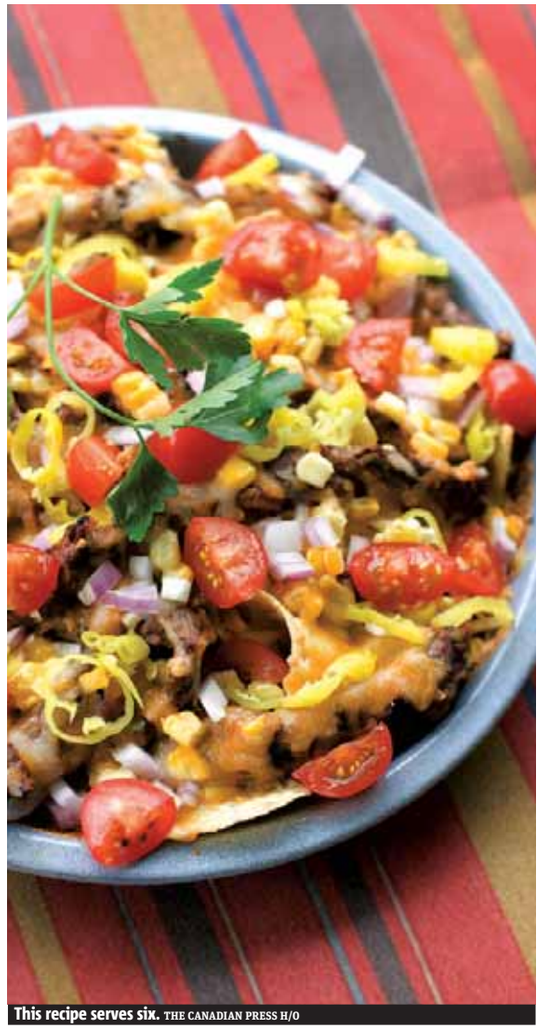
Ingredients

- 3 tbsp adobo sauce (from a can of chipotle chilies in adobo)
- 3 tbsp tomato paste
- 3 tbsp canola, plus extra
- 1 tsp garlic powder
- 1 tsp kosher salt
- 9 oz beef sirloin, thinly sliced (can substitute pre-sliced "stir-fry" beef)
- 1 ear corn, husked
- 11-oz bag corn tortilla chips
- 1 cup grated cheddar cheese
- 1/2 pint cherry tomatoes, cut into quarters
- 1/3 cup pepperoncini, stemmed and thinly sliced
- 1/2 small red onion, diced



This recipe serves six. THE CANADIAN PRESS H/O

Liquid Assets

Staple of summertime

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Sorry, spirit fans, you don't have the monopoly on mixology. Innovative wine lovers have been adding extras to vino for centuries, creating inspired alternatives to drinking it neat.

The Spanish came up with the idea of sangria: A blend of red wine, liqueur and fruit named after their term for blood because of its dark colour. Arguably the first wine cooler, Canadians are just cluing in to how easy it is to make — not to mention how well it goes with summer menus.

My basic recipe is meant to be played with, so have fun experimenting. Use whatever fruit turns you on (I start with watermelon, blueberries and raspberries) and an inexpensive Spanish red or a value-priced, fruit-forward alternative like Lindeman's juicy 2012 Cawarra Shiraz Cabernet ($8.95 to $10.99) from Australia.

Peter's Simple Sangria:

- Ice cubes
- 750 ml chilled red wine
- 100 ml orange liqueur
- 500 ml gingerale
- 200 ml lemonade
- Fruit
- Sugar

Grab a clear glass pitcher and toss in some ice cubes. Add all the liquids, then the fruit. Stir. Give it a sip and add sugar to taste. Enjoy!

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1. In a large sauté pan, heat 30 ml (2 tbsp) of the oil. Add ground beef, red pepper and onion and cook over medium heat until meat is almost fully cooked.

Ingredients

- 250 ml (1 cup) vegetable oil
- 225 g (1/2 lb) ground beef
- 1/2 each red pepper, onion cut in medium dice
- 5 ml (1 tsp) cumin
- 10 ml (2 tsp) dried oregano
- 5 ml (1 tsp) paprika
- Chili flakes and salt, to taste
- 4 russet potatoes, crinkle cut or thinly sliced
- 250 ml (1 cup) grated cheddar cheese
- 1/2 tomato cut in medium dice
- 125 ml (1/2 cup) chopped cilantro
- Sour cream, salsa and guacamole

2. Add cumin, oregano, paprika and chili flakes and continue cooking for 2 minutes; set aside.

3. In sauté pan, heat remaining vegetable oil over medium-high heat. When oil is hot, fry potato slices until crispy. Remove from oil, drain on paper towels and season with salt.

4. Lay potato chips overlapping in a single layer on a baking pan lined with parchment paper. Top with ground beef mixture and cheddar cheese; bake in a 180 C (350 F) oven until cheese is melted.

5. Remove from oven and top with tomato and cilantro. Serve with a side of sour cream, salsa and guacamole.

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This Potato Nachos recipe serves four. THE CANADIAN PRESS H/O

Kovalchuk walks away from deal with Devils

NHL. Russian sniper retires to return home; 12 years, $77M left on big contract

Ilya Kovalchuk is retiring from the NHL after just the third year of his 15-year $100-million contract. GETTY IMAGES FILE

When the New Jersey Devils signed Ilya Kovalchuk to a contract that eventually became a 15-year deal worth $100 million US, it stunned the NHL.

But that was nothing compared to Kovalchuk's decision to retire and walk away from the final 12 years and $77 million of it.

Kovalchuk's announcement Tuesday to return home to Russia came several months after the superstar considered staying there in the wake of the NHL lockout. The 30-year-old said in a statement that he has thought for a long time about moving home for good.

"Though I decided to return this past season, (general manager Lou Lamoriello) was aware of my desire to go back home and have my family there with me," Kovalchuk said. "The most difficult thing for me is to leave the New Jersey Devils, a great organization that I have a lot of respect for, and our fans that have been great to me."

Kovalchuk had 417 goals and 399 assists in 816 games over 11 NHL seasons spent with the Atlanta Thrashers and Devils. He was the first overall pick of the Thrashers in 2001 and was a face of that franchise before being traded to New Jersey in 2010.

"After many conversations with Ilya over the past year on his desire to retire from the National Hockey League, Ilya's decision became official today," Lamoriello said in a statement. "On behalf of the entire organization, I wish Ilya and his family all the best in their future endeavours."

Kovalchuk is free to play in Russia's Kontinental Hockey League and reports from Russian news agencies indicated he will officially sign with SKA St. Petersburg on Friday.

Kovalchuk's original deal with the Devils was for 17 years and $102 million. It was ruled cap circumvention by the NHL because Kovalchuk would have been 44 years old when it was over.

The Devils must forfeit their 2014 first-round pick as punishment for the circumvention after they opted to keep their selections in 2012 and 2013. They will also be charged $250,000 against the salary cap through 2024-25 as a result of Kovalchuk's retirement.

The rest of the nearly $6.7-million hit will come off New Jersey's cap. The Devils lost winger David Clarkson in free agency but re-signed Patrik Elias and Dainius Zubrus earlier this off-season.

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$77M left on the table

Here are the remaining yearly salary amounts Ilya Kovalchuk will be giving up:

2013-14: $11,300,000
2014-15: $11,300,000
2015-16: $11,600,000
2016-17: $11,800,000
2017-18: $10,000,000
2018-19: $7,000,000
2019-20: $4,000,000
2020-21: $1,000,000
2021-22: $1,000,000
2022-23: $1,000,000
2023-24: $3,000,000
2024-25: $4,000,000

Tour de France

Kittel beats Cavendish to line for 12-stage win

Marcel Kittel overtook Mark Cavendish at the line to win the 12th stage of the Tour de France on Thursday, while Chris Froome avoided a late crash to protect his big lead.

Cavendish attacked first but Kittel's late burst got him to the finish first by half a wheel to earn his second stage win in three days, and third of this race.

"As we say in Germany, good things come in three," Kittel said. "It was a real sprint today, that's why I'm so happy."

German riders have won five stages so far — with Tony Martin winning Wednesday's time trial and Andre Greipel also winning a sprint stage.

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MLB

Jeter makes his return to Yankees

Derek Jeter was back, and the New York Yankees felt a whole lot better.

At least until he needed to make an early exit.

The Yankees captain singled on his first pitch of the season, then was pulled for a pinch-hitter in the eighth inning with a tight right quadriceps in an 8-4 victory Thursday over the Kansas City Royals.

"It's just stiff," he said. "We'll find out tomorrow."

Jeter scored a run and went 1-for-4 with an RBI groundout as the designated hitter in his return from a nine-month layoff from a broken ankle.

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Indians rookie pitcher mows down Blue Jays

Blue Jays right-fielder Jose Bautista fails to snag a ball hit by the Indians' Carlos Santana on Thursday in Cleveland. TONY DEJAK/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

R.A. Dickey's knuckleball can be puzzling. Same for the Blue Jays.

Expected to contend this season in the AL East, Toronto was held to two hits by rookie Danny Salazar — making his big-league debut — and the Blue Jays lost 4-2 to the Cleveland Indians on Wednesday.

After winning 11 straight, the Blue Jays have gone 6-11 and remain stuck in last place in arguably baseball's toughest division.

"We're around that edge," manager John Gibbons said. "We've got to start winning some games."

Dickey (8-10) was in control for five innings, but the right-hander lost command of his tricky pitch in the sixth, when he hit a batter, walked two and gave up an RBI single to Lonnie Chisenhall. A year ago at the All-Star break, Dickey was 12-1 and on his way to winning the NL Cy Young Award.

This season, he's never been dominant and has only recently been effective.

"The last four or five weeks I've really felt good," Dickey said. "I've had one rough start in there, but other than that I've really been good as far as the way I've felt. I anticipate a pretty strong (second) half."

Salazar pitched six superb innings — he held Toronto without a hit for the first five — allowing just one run.

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On the mend

Blue Jays outfielder Melky Cabrera (sore left knee) will begin a rehab assignment Friday with the Bisons. He's been on the DL since May 27.

Horoscopes

♈ Aries
March 21 - April 20
You are not usually the trusting sort but you seem determined to see only the best in people today. Good for you but don't believe everyone.

♉ Taurus
April 21 - May 21
You have so much work to finish before the weekend that you may be at a loss to know how to get it all done. Don't worry, the planets will provide. All you have to do is make a start and then keep going.

♊ Gemini
May 22 - June 21
Wherever you go and whatever you do today people will greet you like a long lost friend. You must be doing something right to get this kind of response, so carry on.

♋ Cancer
June 22 - July 23
It seems you have been rather obsessive about someone. For some reason you have been thinking about this person night and day. Is that healthy? Probably not. Think about something else.

♌ Leo
July 24 - Aug. 23
Friends will rally around and make life easy for you today. What have you done to deserve this kind of assistance? Probably nothing much but you do have a knack for attracting people.

♍ Virgo
Aug. 24 - Sept. 23
It might be wise to leave your credit card at home today because if you use it once you won't know when to stop. Use cash only and limit yourself to a certain amount. If you haven't got enough, too bad.

♎ Libra
Sept. 24 - Oct. 23
People you do business with today may not be talkative but from the look in their eyes and the way they position themselves, you will know what they are thinking. You read body language so well.

♏ Scorpio
Oct. 24 - Nov. 22
It's good to be open-minded but that does not mean you can allow people with silly theories to waste your time. The Sun in Cancer promotes broader thinking but some thinking is too outrageous to take seriously.

♐ Sagittarius
Nov. 23 - Dec. 21
No matter how vulnerable you may feel at the moment, you need to be around people because it is only through personal contact that you can rise above this negative phase.

♑ Capricorn
Dec. 22 - Jan. 20
Make a point of being calm today because what happens over the weekend will try your patience to the limit.

♒ Aquarius
Jan. 21 - Feb. 19
You are desperate to be on the move and will be impatient with people who think or act too slowly. Your journey will be a lot more pleasant if you relax and stop looking at your watch so often. Time doesn't matter.

♓ Pisces
Feb. 20 - March 20
If you are confused about something, you must speak up. There is nothing wrong in admitting that you don't "get" it and it's unlikely you are the only one. You will be doing people a favour. **SALLY BROMPTON**

Crossword: Canada Across and Down

See today's answers at metronews.ca/answers.

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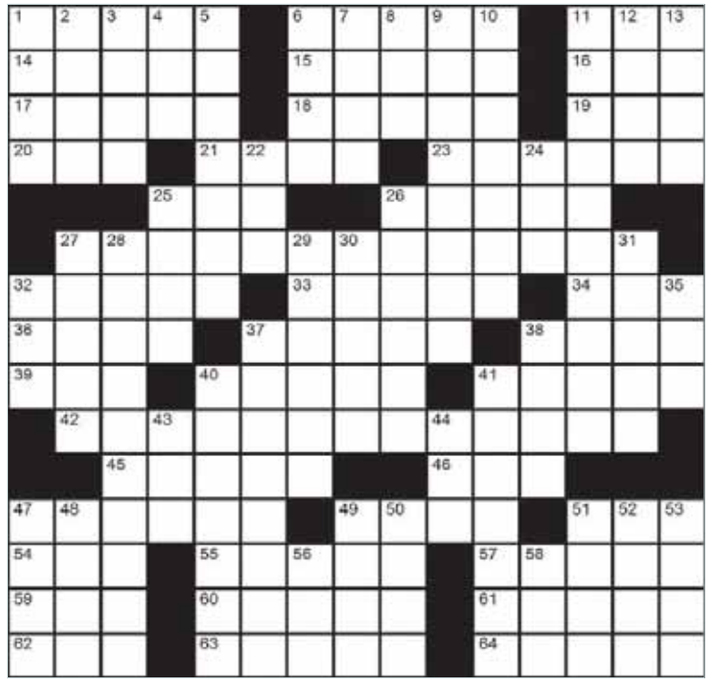


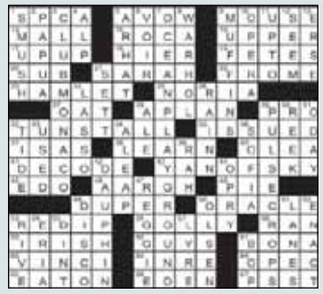
Across

1. Gig at a party or nightclub
6. Shines
11. T.O. Raptors home venue
14. Ici __-Canada
15. Persian Gulf emirate
16. Paul Simon's Roy needn't be this
17. Canadian food company since 1917 specializing in Mediterranean-style products
18. Nirvana's "About _ __"
19. Big time
20. Earthy prefix
21. Prohibitionists
23. Bryan Adams hit
25. "Letters from __ Jima" (2006)
26. Sort or style
27. Sports milieu for The Andretti Family: 2 wds.
32. Ancient theatre
33. Chuck Berry's "Johnny B. __"
34. __ kwon do
36. "__ have to do."
37. Particular puzzle
38. Modes of transport, commonly
39. Vegas opener
40. Walking sticks
41. Vendor's items
42. Architectural style of the Parliament Buildings: 2 wds.
45. Cam __ (Hockey great born in Comox, BC)
46. Consumed
47. Julius __
49. Sporty prop
51. US org. in recent headlines
54. Un-new
55. House parts
57. Alberta town est. 1911
59. Towel holder
60. Ms. Turner's
61. Actress Ms. Blair
62. Lock unlocker
63. Decree
64. Use a broom

Down

1. Narcotic
2. Barenaked Ladies song
3. Prefix to 'syncrasy' (Mannerism)
4. Ms. Kidman, to pals
5. April Wine frontman, Myles __
6. Hello, to Crocodile Dundee
7. Carries with effort
8. __-Wan Kenobi
9. Explosive parts on missiles
10. Quietude
11. Jim Carrey role: 2 wds.
12. Apple's inner
13. Printer's colour
22. Mythical bird
24. Tycoon Mr. Onassis, to pals
25. Graven image
26. Sharp-tailed __ (Saskatchewan's provincial bird)
27. Suitcase attachment, _ _ _
28. Actor who famously played a Mountie in "Rose-Marie" (1936): 2 wds.
29. CSA = Canadian Space __
30. Dressing gown creator, perhaps
31. Judge's prop
32. "Dallas" moneymaker
35. 'Count' suffix
37. "Canadian __ Trilogy" by Gordon Lightfoot
38. Economize
40. "Ocean's Twelve" (2004) star, Don __
41. __ Bay, Nfld.
43. Real life "Lawrence of Arabia" (1962) character Mr. Lawrence, et al.
44. Mr. Kilmer
47. Wine bottle plug
48. Moisturizer ingredient
49. Bric-a-__
50. Li'l helper
51. Strait of Belle __
52. Italy's capital
53. Piece of cake
56. Clandestine maritime org.
58. Mountain __ (Soft drink)

Yesterday's Crossword



Sudoku

How to play
Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved.

		2	9			3	5	
1						4		2
	3			7				6
	5				6	7		
			3		8			
		1	5				8	
7				8			6	
4		3						1
	1	6			5	9		

Yesterday's Sudoku

1	4	5	3	9	2	7	6	8
9	7	6	5	8	4	3	1	2
2	3	8	6	7	1	4	9	5
6	5	9	7	1	3	8	2	4
7	8	1	2	4	6	5	3	9
3	2	4	9	5	8	1	7	6
4	6	2	1	3	5	9	8	7
8	9	3	4	6	7	2	5	1
5	1	7	8	2	9	6	4	3

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